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## City Paragraphs.

A revival is in progress at Shiloh Baptist church.

Booker T. Washington passed through the city last Friday.

A new chorister for St. Augustine's Catholic Church is talked of.

Madame Estren has gone to New York on a short visit to her daughter, Mrs. Maud Jackson.

Mrs. J. Henry Lewis is in Baltimore spending a few weeks with Mrs. George A. Handy daughter of Bishop James A. Handy.

Mr. T. C. Miller, a Norfolk, Va., business man, was the guest of Mr. J. N. McDuffie, 426 I street, northwest, last week.

Miss Addie Lewis, in addition to her duties with the Amphions, is serving as organist of the 1st Baptist choir in Georgetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bradley, formerly of 1945 M Street, are now domiciled with Mrs. Betts and family at 313 2nd Street Northwest.

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C. S. Pittman, 83 L street northwest, employed by Hill and Miller, dealers in electrical supplies, had four fingers crushed in a machine Monday of last week.

The Allen League celebrated the birthday of Frederick Douglass in happy style by giving an entertainment in the lecture room of Metropolitan A. M. E. church.

Mrs. Edmund L. Bailey, wife of the proprietor of the Bailey House, 229 New Jersey avenue, has been spending a few days in Brooklyn, the guest of Mrs. Richard Moore.

It is confidently expected that the grand jury will return a true bill against Managers Burke and Chase, the blatant violators of the civil rights law of the District.

Miss Blanche Coleman is developing into a pianist of noteworthy skill. Her solo last Sunday at the Congressional Lyceum would have reflected credit upon a professional.

Mr. C. L. Marshall, of 801 R Street, one our most reliable business men, went to Richmond, Va., Sunday, Feb. 11, to attend a meeting of the directors of the True Reformers' Bank.

It is announced that J. Henry Lewis director of the Asbury choir will soon retire and devote his time to the formation of a mixed chorus, which will put on a comic opera at one of the local theaters.

In a happily-phrased letter to President R. W. Thompson, Miss J. Imogen Howard, New York's popular teacher, expresses her sincere appreciation of the timely aid rendered her by the Second Baptist Lyceum in her contest

for a trip to Paris. Miss Howard stands fourth in a list of five possible winners, and is almost certain of success now. Second Baptist Lyceum has given her 2,713 votes. Miss Lucy E. Moten, the energetic principal of the Normal School, has given Miss Howard excellent support in this contest, and hopes to send up 5,000 ballots from Washington.

Major John H. Simpson, ex-Commander of the Department of California, G. A. R. delighted a large audience Sunday, Feb. 11, at the Congressional Lyceum. He paid a lofty tribute to the valor of the colored soldier.

Solomon Haskins, of 608 21 Street N. W., is president of the Fifteenth Assembly District Republican Club, and is busily sizing up the delegate timber in the market. He has a large following and the organization will be potent in naming the winner.

Mr. John L. Perkinson, formerly in Cuba as a member of the United States Volunteer Army, is doing a neat business with his improved elastic asphaltum paint. He is located at 24 Massachusetts Avenue N. E.

Mr. T. J. Calloway, special agent in charge of Negro exhibit at Paris, has returned from an extended trip covering visits to Chicago, Atlanta, Tuskegee and New Orleans, in the interest of the work.

Tomorrow afternoon at 6 o'clock, Mr. R. W. Thompson, of The Colored American, will address the Epworth League of Lane's Chapel; subject: "What the Church can do for Journalism, and what Journalism can do for the Church." This church is located at the corner of 14th and C northeast.

## At Lane's Chapel.

The Epworth League of Lane's Chapel, 14th and C Streets Northeast, is getting along finely. Last Sunday at 6 o'clock, Attorney R. D. Ruffin read a paper on "The Influence of the Church," and pertinent remarks were made by Editor A. L. Manly, Dr. G. H. Richardson and others. Miss Prather's paper was a severe arraignment of intemperance, and was well delivered. Pastor J. R. White has begun the erection of a handsome brick church.

Rev. J. L. Carpenter, Deputy General of the Northern Grand Division of the United Order of True Reformers, delivered a sermon to the True Reformers of Washington last Sunday night at 7:30 at Zion Baptist church, F street between 3 and 4½ streets, southwest. A grand mass meeting was held Monday night the 19th at Metropolitan A. M. E. Zion church, D street, between 2nd and D streets, southwest. Prominent speakers addressed the meeting.

## A Washington Girl's Return.

Mrs. Gertrude Unthank, (nee Clark) formerly of this city but now of Kansas City, Mo., is visiting her mother, and sister Lotta, at 2206 14th Street N. W. Mrs. Unthank is accompanied by her daughter, than whom it would be hard to find a more charming and amiable young lady. Dr. Unthank has every reason to feel proud of his interesting family, and can rest assured that no pains will be spared by their many friends here to make their stay extremely pleasant.

## Miss Anthony's Anniversary.

The concert and reception in honor of the eightieth birthday of Miss Susan B. Anthony, Thursday of last week, were made particularly notable to our people by the appearance on both occasions of the distinguished and pop-

ular young violinist, Mr. Joseph H. Douglass. At the choice afternoon concert at Lafayette Square Opera House and at the radiant reception his work was exceptionally fine, and the new president of the woman suffragists, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, personally congratulated him upon his marvelous talent and skill as an interpreter of classic music.

The Woman's Protective Association of which Mrs. Julia Layton is president and Mrs. Ida D. Bailey, secretary, held an interesting meeting Sunday afternoon, the 11th, at Shiloh Baptist church. Papers were read by Mrs. Layton, Mrs. J. Albert Johnson, Mrs. J. H. Smythe, and Mrs. John F. Cook. Music was furnished by Miss Jeanetta Taylor, Prof. John T. Layton and the Shiloh Baptist choir.

## Among the Churches.

The Rev. Dr. D. E. Mason, Secretary of the Livingstone College and Industrial School in Salisbury, N. C., was present last week at Plymouth Church in Chicago. He attended a prayer meeting there and made one of his characteristic talks. He is the financial Secretary of Livingstone College and as such has done magnificent work for the College. It is no surprise to his friends that a big collection was raised. More than \$500 was given on the spot for the work and for the future management of Livingstone College. Deacon White, a prominent member, led the band by subscribing \$100. The subject of Dr. Mason's lecture was "The Immortality of Influence," and the very handsome and substantial collection was a proof that he has carried his point.

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